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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Donald L. Morton

Serial No.: 09/751,373

Filed: December 29, 2000

For: PLURIPOTENT VACCINE AGAINST
ENVELOPED VIRUSES

Group Art Unit: 1642

Examiner: A. Salimi

Atty. Dkt. No.: JWC1:011USC1/SLH

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO
OFFICE ACTION DATED FEBRUARY 20, 2004

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Commissioner:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants petition for an extension of time of three months to and including August 20, 2004 in which to respond to the Office Action dated February 20, 2002.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, a check in the amount of \$475.00 is enclosed, which is the process fee (\$475.00) for a three-month extension of time.

If the check is inadvertently omitted, or should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R.

§§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, or should an

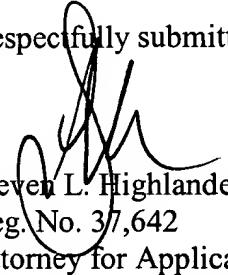
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overpayment be included herein, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct or credit said fees from or to Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P. Account No.: 50-1212/JWCI:011USC1/SLH.

Respectfully submitted,


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